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COUNTRY Eastern Germany 25X1 REPORT

TOPIC Shipments of Personnel Arriving in Frankfurt/Oder

EVALUATION [redacted] 25X1 PLACE OBTAINED 25X1 [redacted]

DATE OF CONTENT [redacted] 25X1

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25X1 During the period from 18 to 30 August 1952, the Eichhorn Kaserne on Muellroser
25X1 Landstrasse in Frankfurt/Oder was occupied beyond capacity. [redacted]
25X1 [redacted] the installation was crowded with
25X1 women and young soldiers. The following shipments of women in or out of uniform
25X1 and soldiers were observed going to and coming from the barracks installation
25X1 during the period under review:

18 August. Arrival of 80 women in civilian clothes at the railroad station and
25X1 subsequent departure to the barracks installation on trucks [redacted]
25X1 [redacted]

21 August. Departure from the barracks installation on trucks [redacted]
25X1 [redacted] of about 120
25X1 uniformed women to the railroad station where they were loaded.

22 August. Departure from the barracks installation to the railroad station on
25X1 trucks [redacted] 30 uniformed
25X1 women; departure on foot from the barracks installation to the railroad
25X1 station of 120 men. The same day, 800 women in civilian clothes were
25X1 unloaded at the railroad station and brought to the barracks
25X1 installation on trucks [redacted]
25X1 [redacted] They were followed by 200 young
25X1 soldiers who marched to the installation.

23 August. Between 9 and 11 a.m., about 500 uniformed women were transported from
25X1 the installation to the railroad station on trucks [redacted]
25X1 [redacted] arrival of 60 uniformed women who
[redacted] were brought to the installation on trucks [redacted]
[redacted] 142 soldiers marched from the barracks installation to the
railroad station.

26 August. Two hundred and fifty uniformed women went from the barracks installation
to the railroad station on trucks [redacted] and
[redacted]; 180 men followed by foot; 160 young soldiers marched from
the railroad station to the installation.

27 August. About 1,200 women in civilian clothes were unloaded from 15 express
train coaches at the ramp on Fuerstenwalder Strasse. They were
transported to the barracks installation on trucks [redacted]
[redacted] and

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28 August. About 300 uniformed women were transported from the barracks installation to the railroad station on trucks
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25X1 men followed on foot.

29 August. About 350 uniformed women were transported from the barracks installation to the railroad station in the morning using trucks
25X1 Three
25X1 other trucks drove from the installation to the railroad station, occupied by officers and EM; 220 men followed on foot.

30 August. About 60 women in civilian clothes drove from the railroad station to the barracks installation on trucks
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25X1 300 uniformed women drove from the installation to the railroad station on trucks
25X1 about 120 soldiers marched from the
25X1 railroad station to the barracks installation. In the afternoon,
25X1 about 1,000 women in civilian clothes were unloaded from 12
25X1 express train coaches at the ramp on Fuerstenwalder Strasse and
25X1 transported to the barracks installation on trucks
25X1 At the same time, about 200 uniformed women left
25X1 the installation going to the railroad station on trucks
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Comment. On the basis of the above figures, it can be concluded that, during the period from 18 to 30 August, about 3,200 women in civilian clothes went from the railroad station to the Eichhorn Kaserne, and about 2,200 women
25X1 went from the Eichhorn Kaserne to the railroad station, after having been issued
25X1 uniforms at the installation. About 480 soldiers went from the railroad station to the barracks installation, and about 740 soldiers went from the
25X1 barracks installation to the railroad station. These statements confirm information
25X1 from Frankfurt/Oder, according to which major contingents of women arrived from the U.S.S.R. during the second half of August and early September.
The above figures are only a rough estimate as it is doubted have completely covered all movements during the period under review. Only sporadic information has been received from posts on the further commitment of these women so the situation is unclarified. However, there are indications that the women will be employed in signal work.

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